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MATT BLUNT SECRETARY OF STATE

ELECTIONS DIVISION (573) 751-2301

May 28, 2004

Honorable Claire McCaskill State Auditor State Capitol Building Jefferson City, MO 65101 MAY 2 8 2004

RE: Fiscal Note and Fiscal Note Summary Request for SJR 29

Dear Ms. McCaskill:

Enclosed please find a copy of SJR 29 that was received by our office on this date.

We are referring the enclosed joint resolution to you for the purposes of preparing a fiscal note and fiscal note summary in accordance with § 116.175, RSMo 2000. As you are aware, the fiscal note and fiscal note summary are required to be forwarded by you to our office within thirty days of receipt of the joint resolution, pursuant to § 116.170, RSMo. 2000.

Thank you for your immediate consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Matt Blunt Secretary of State

cc:

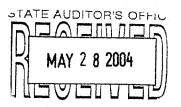
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SECOND REGULAR SESSION [TRULY AGREED TO AND FINALLY PASSED]

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29

92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

2004

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JOINT RESOLUTION

Submitting to the qualified voters of Missouri, an amendment to the Constitution of Missouri relating to marriage.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein:

That at the next general election to be held in the state of Missouri, on

- 2 Tuesday next following the first Monday in November, 2004, or at a special
- 3 election to be called by the governor for that purpose, there is hereby submitted
- 4 to the qualified voters of this state, for adoption or rejection, the following
- 5 amendment to article 1 of the Constitution of the state of Missouri:

Section A. Article 1, Constitution of Missouri, is amended by adding

2 thereto one new section, to be known as section 33, to read as follows:

Section 33. That to be valid and recognized in this state, a marriage

2 shall exist only between a man and a woman.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representativ

Governor